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NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 19th day of August, 1899, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1899. By Order of the Board of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 19th day of August, 1899, till the 26th day of August, 1899, inclusive, during which period NO TRANSFER of SHARES can be Registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,  
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, Queen's Buildings, Cantonment Road, on MONDAY, the 21st August, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1899. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 21st August, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board,  
THOS. L. ROSE, Secretary.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.  
THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel, on MONDAY, the 21st August, 1899, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 30th June, 1899, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matters that may be brought forward for the Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st August, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board,  
C. MOONEY, Secretary.

NOW READY.

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**'CHINA REVIEW'**  
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J. B. BHESANIA & Co.  
Hongkong, August 7, 1899.

THE UNIVERSAL CALCULATOR,  
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Hongkong, July 31, 1899.

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THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Company's Office, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of August, 1899, at 12 o'clock Noon, when the following Resolution will be proposed:  
Should the Resolution be passed by the majority, it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.  
1. That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$300,000 by the issue of 30,000 NEW SHARES of \$10 each, which shall be considered part of the Original Capital and be subject to the provisions in the Articles of Association contained with reference to CALLS Transfer power and otherwise and that the Directors be authorised to issue such New Shares at par.  
2. That the said New Shares be offered to the Persons who on the 18th day of September, 1899, shall be Registered Members of the existing Shares in the proportion of a New Share for each existing Share held by them.  
By Order of the Board,  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 9, 1899.

MR. C. ADDOOLA, being about to leave for Bombay, Mr. FAZUL RAHIMHOY will conduct the Business and SIGN the Name of Our FIRM in China from this Date.  
C. ADDOOLA & Co.  
Hongkong, August 5, 1899.

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Hongkong, August 9, 1899.

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS.  
AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of this Club will be held in the GYMNASIUM, on THURSDAY, 17th August, at 5.30 p.m., to confirm the following resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting on 2nd August—  
11 (a). If within one month of a Ballot taking place Two-thirds of the Balloting Committee shall consider that through an error in the Ballot or through a misapprehension a candidate has been refused admission, they shall order a fresh Ballot, which shall supersede and in every respect take the place of the Ballot previously held.  
W. C. H. HASTINGS, Chairman.  
Hongkong, August 10, 1899.

OLIVERS FREEHOLD MINES, LIMITED.

IN Accordance with Article No. VIII. Paragraph 3 of the Articles of Association of the COMPANY, INTEREST at the Rate of \$10 per Annum in being CHARGED on all Unpaid CALLS.  
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.  
Hongkong, August 10, 1899.

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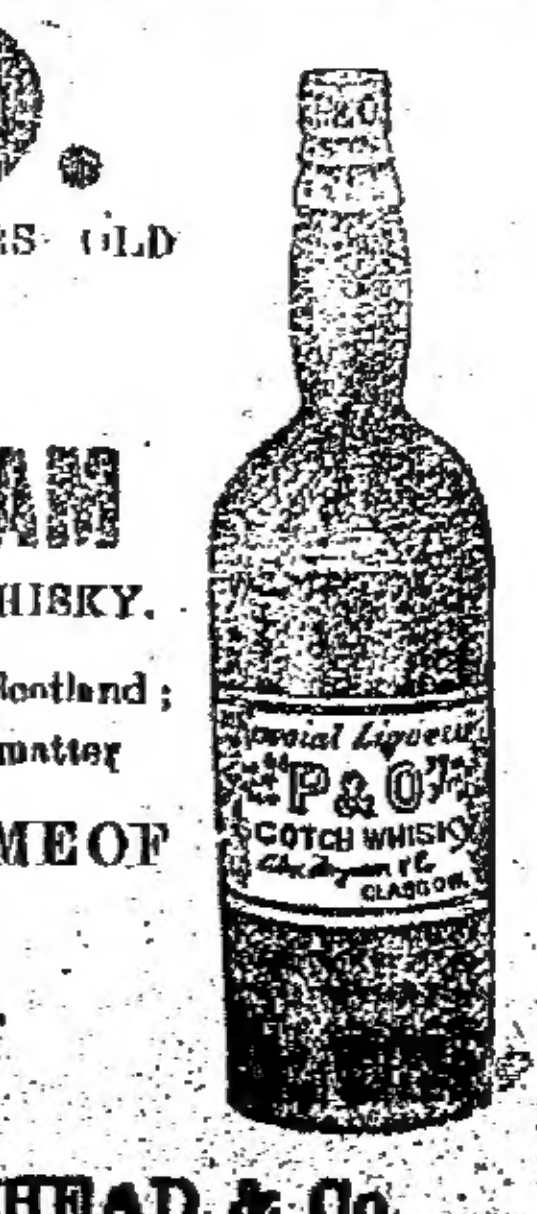


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SHANGHAI	Bengal	S. BARCHAM	About 18th August.
LONDON, &c.	Parramatta	A. SYMON	Noon, 10th August.
YOKOHAMA, Via N.SAKI & ROBE.	Rosetta	C. O. TALBOT, R.N.R.	4 p.m., 19th August.
LONDON	Bombay	G. M. MONTFORD, R.N.R.	About 24th August.

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Hongkong, August 10, 1899. 1779

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Hongkong, August 8, 1899. 1790

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Hongkong, August 8, 1899. 1790

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THE New Steamship MISS SUFY.

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Hongkong, August 10, 1899. 1695

UNITED STATES AND CHINA JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship INDRALEMA.

Captain Barker, will be despatched on above on or about the 12th August.

For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, July 21, 1899. 1629

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Steamship SAXONIA.

Captain Kruen, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 12th inst.

For Freight, apply to SIMONSEN &amp; Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 9, 1899. 1702

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA &amp; KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship TRIESTE.

Captain A. Motta, will leave for the above ports on SUNDAY, the 13th inst., at 5 p.m.

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Hongkong, August 8, 1899. 1791

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Hongkong, August 7, 1899. 1792

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

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Captain P. H. Borer, R.N.R., will be despatched on above on MONDAY, the 14th inst., at Noon.

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Hongkong, August 9, 1899. 1691

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FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship HONGKONG.

Captain Dora, will be despatched on above on MONDAY, the 14th inst., at Noon.

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Hongkong, August 9, 1899. 1698

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

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Captain T. Jackson, will be despatched on above on TUESDAY, the 15th inst., at Noon.

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Hongkong, August 5, 1899. 1758

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Hongkong, August 11, 1899. 1692

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Hongkong, July 23, 1899. 1732

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Proposed Sailings From Hongkong.

City of Rio de Janeiro (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

SATURDAY, Aug. 12, at Noon.

City of Peking (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

TUESDAY, Sept. 7, at Noon.

City of St. Louis (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

TUESDAY, October 3, at Noon.

THE U. S. Mail S.S. CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA, and HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 12th inst., at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

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Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office in San Francisco, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, July 19, 1899. 1692

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TUESDAY, Aug. 22, at Noon.

City of Peking (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

SATURDAY, Sept. 16, at Noon.

City of St. Louis (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

TUESDAY, October 10, at Noon.

THE Company's Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA, and HONOLULU, on TUESDAY, the 22nd August, at Noon.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes may be obtained on application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passenger who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

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Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, July 26, 1899. 1718

## Mails.

## TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN &amp; HONOLULU.

Proposed Sailings From Hongkong.

America Maru (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

TUESDAY, Aug. 22, at Noon.

Hongkong Maru (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

SATURDAY, Sept. 23, at Noon.

Nippon Maru (via Shanghai, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama &amp; Honolulu).

TUESDAY, Oct. 19, at Noon.

THE S.S. AMERICAN MARU will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA, and HONOLULU, on TUESDAY, the 20th August, at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of the Overland route from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE, and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYS; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment of 1/4 in addition to the regular tariff.

Passengers holding orders for OVERLAND CITIES in the United States have the choice of the Overland route from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE, and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYS; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment of 1/4 in addition to the regular tariff.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Particulars of the various routes can be had on application.

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Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-shipment to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Route, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day. All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office in San Francisco, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, August 7, 1899. 1794

CALIFORNIA AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE AGHOSHO, TOPERA AND SANTA FE RAILROAD CO.

Proposed Sailings From Hongkong.

HONGKONG TO SAN FRANCISCO &amp; SAN DIEGO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

Taking Cargo and Passengers to JAPAN PORTS and HONOLULU, and the UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, &amp;c.

S. S. Thyra.....3,406 Tons...About 1st September.

S. S. Helgum.....2,379 Tons...About 15th October.

S. S. Caranthe...2,929 Tons...About 15th November.

THE Steamship Thyra will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO &amp; SAN DIEGO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA, and HONOLULU, on or about the 15th September.

Through Bills of Lading issued to any point in the United States.

Cargo will be received on board until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until the same time. All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full. Value of same is required.

Consular Invoices, to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Diego, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Diego.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE, Agents.

HONGKONG, CHINA &amp; JAPAN.

Hongkong, August 10, 1899. 1761

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Hongkong, March 1, 1899. 516

## Mails.

## NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, &amp;c.

PORTS OF BRAZIL &amp; RIVER PLATE.

ON SATURDAY, the 12th August, at Noon, the Company's Steamship FARRA, Captain Rooland, with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for MARSEILLES via HONOLULU.

This Steamer connects at COLOMBO with the S.S. Arandah, which vessel takes on her Passengers and Mails, leaving that Port on the 24th August, direct to SUEZ, PORT SAID and MARSEILLES.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal Cities of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 11th August. (Parcels are not to be sent by mail; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

(Contents and value of Packages are required.)

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, July 29, 1899. 1737

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, BATAVIA, BOMBAY, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, &amp;c.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

Proposed Sailings From Hongkong.

Subject to Alteration.

Prinz Heinrich, Wednesday, August 10.

Prinzess Alice, Wednesday, Sept. 13.

Sachsen, Wednesday, October 11.

Prinzess Alice, Wednesday, Nov. 8.&lt;/



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